

<b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b>	<b>Applicant(s)</b>	
	10/714,548	BENTON ET AL.	
	<b>Examiner</b>	<b>Art Unit</b>	
	John J. Figueroa	1712	

**All Participants:**

(1) John J. Figueroa.

(2) Peter D. McDermott.

**Status of Application:** Pending

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**Date of Interview:** 20 January 2006

**Time:** 11:13 AM

**Type of Interview:**

- ☒ Telephonic  
☐ Video Conference  
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

**Part I.**

Rejection(s) discussed:

Claims discussed:

13, 14 and 17-43

Prior art documents discussed:

**Part II.**

**SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:**

*Examiner discussed restriction requirement with Applicant's attorney. Applicant elected, with traverse, Group I (claims 13.14, 17-20 and 34-43) which are drawn to a water-soluble copolymer and a composition comprising thereof.*

**Part III.**

- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.  
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

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(Examiner/SPE Signature)

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(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)